

## Message Text

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ACTION IO-13

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2610  
INFO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
AMCONSUL LENINGRAD  
DEPT OF JUSTICE WASHDC UNN

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DEPT OF JUSTICE FOR FRANK NILAND AND JAMES ROBINSON

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PINS, UR  
SUBJ: DEMONSTRATION AT SOVIET INTOURIST OFFICE

1. AT 2:40 PM THURSDAY MARCH 3, 1977, 35 MEMBERS OF THE  
MILITANT YOUTH GROUP BETAR ENTERED THE OFFICES OF INTOURIST  
ON THE 19TH FLOOR AT 355 LEXINGTON AVENUE. THE GROUP WAS  
PROTESTING THE BAN ON MATZO IN THE SOVIET UNION FOR THE  
UPCOMING RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS. THE GROUP PASSED OUT A PRESS  
RELEASE DESCRIBING THEIR PROTEST AND LEFT AT 3:15 PM.

2. AMPLE POLICE AND FBI WERE ON HAND. NO ARRESTS WERE  
MADE AND NO DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OCCURRED.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
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**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
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**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
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